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GOLF COURSE IN FINE SHAPE

Those who enjoy the fascinating game of golf will find Grayling golf course most inviting and pleasurable. We doubt if there are any greens much finer anywhere in Michigan. The fairways too are clean and snappy.

This is a nine-hole course and is laid out in a most attractive arrangement. The grass on the fairways is



easy to walk on and one plays the course with a feeling of pleasure and nothing to mar his good nature. There is plenty of variety to make each fairway attractively interesting.

The club house too has taken on a much improved appearance and convenience. On two sides broad porches with roof have been built. Here are a number of porch chairs for the comfort of those who would care to rest. Inside also there are a number of improvements. Partitions have been removed and now there is provided one fine large room for rest and social purposes. Bright red wicker furniture with comfortable cushions make the place delightfully comfortable and cozy. Off that room is

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Green fees here are very reasonable still the daily receipts from that source have ranged from \$20 to \$40 per day during the past few weeks. All can help to increase this by inviting their friends to come to Grayling to play golf. And they will be glad to have the privilege of doing so.

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COURTESY APPRECIATED

ASKS EDITOR TO THANK PEOPLE FOR COURTESIES

What constitutes courtesy to tourists? Each citizen may interpret that in a different manner. And each may be right. The writer encountered one courtesy on the trip to lower Michigan three weeks ago and it was a group of Grayling young men who furnished the example that left us another pleasant reminder that Grayling is a good town.

It came about in this way. We continued on a concrete beyond the point of detour and found ourselves confronted with a barrier. It meant to turn and go back or take a chance on crossing a newly dug ditch. Always reluctant to retrace distance, we took a chance on the ditch and being too mindful of the comfort of the back seat passengers (we almost said drivers) found we could get only half way across. It looked like a mile hike to town for a tow. But a group of boys in an old car sensing our plight, stopped and came over to assist us. Their help was just enough to get us away again with very little loss of time.

Time did not permit a stopover at Grayling on this particular trip, but as we drove through we felt a friendly attitude towards the town and decided that it must be a pretty good place to visit. And pending an opportunity for such we think it well to direct this testimonial to the attention of Oscar Schumann, who publishes the Crawford Avalanche at rest. Inside also there are a number of improvements. Partitions have been removed and now there is provided one fine large room for rest and social purposes. Bright red wicker furniture with comfortable cushions make the place delightfully comfortable and cozy. Off that room is

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View in Grand Teton National park in western Wyoming, the nation's newest playground, just formally dedicated by the National Editorial association and officials of the national park service. 2-Chinese troops being rushed to the Manchuria border to confront the forces of Soviet Russia.

MUSICAL TREATS EASY TO REACH

GRAYLING PEOPLE SHOULD NOT MISS VISITING INTERLOCHEN

While a few Graylingites have had the pleasure of visiting Interlochen Bowl, near Traverse City, still there are thousands in this region who have not and they don't realize what they are missing.

There is located the summer camp for the National High School Band and Orchestra, made up of star musical pupils selected from high schools of the nation. At this time there are nearly 300 young boys and girls in camp. They are being trained for orchestra and band work and are being directed by some of America's famous conductors.

Programs are presented every Wednesday afternoon and Sunday afternoon and evening. The afternoon programs begin at 4:30 Grayling time. The pupils in camp represent 40 states, and Hawaii, and the Philippine Islands. In order to enroll for the camp they must be an actually enrolled pupil of some high school and must possess exceptional musical ability and genius besides being of unquestionable character. Without these qualifications one cannot possibly enter. Money, no matter how much one may have, cuts no figure in this affair.

Out of the students enrolled only six are 19 years of age; the others are younger. Each department is under the training of select leaders and the pupils receive the benefit of this wonderful influence and instruction. One might think for so young a group of young people that the music must be of the simplest standard, but such is not the case. Each and every one taking part is a trained and outstanding musician and their programs would do justice to the finest symphony orchestra and band.

Following is the program that is to be presented next Sunday:

1. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1—Liszt.
2. Nocturne—Mendelssohn.
3. Night's Dream—Mendelssohn.
4. Selection—The Chocolate Soldier—Strauss.
5. Prelude—from Suite Ancienne—Hadley.
6. Phaeon—Saint Saens.
7. Stars and Stripes—Souza.

The above is strictly a band concert. In the evening the National High School Orchestra will render the oratorio Elijah, by Mendelssohn. The soloists for these programs will be announced from the platform.

Camp History
The National High School Orchestra is now an institution of large influence. It is interesting to note that only three years ago very few people realized that there could be such a thing. Indeed, the orchestra made its first appearance in Detroit slightly more than two years ago. One year later, in 1927, another group made up of two hundred and sixty-eight players, gathered in Dallas, Texas, and played for the Department of Superintendence of the National Education association.

As each meeting of the National High School Orchestra marked a definite step towards a larger, more artistic ensemble so the 1928 meeting in Chicago was an advance over the Dallas meeting. This orchestra trained and conducted by Stock, Hanson and Maddy, and by Damrosch in a rehearsal, gave to the Music Supervisors' National Conference a thrill which they will never forget. Besides the thrill, it gave them a determination to further their work in music as far as possible. The success of the orchestra was great, but something was still lacking. The orchestra did not meet together long enough to work into a compact perfect ensemble. And now, in the summer of 1929, this lack has been greatly remedied by meeting for eight weeks in the Camp

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tions which will be held, and in addition they will be taken for airplane rides during the affair. The Carnival Queen will be chosen during the first day of the events, climaxing a parade through Bay City which will wind up at Wenonah Park, on the Saginaw river in the center of the city. On the closing day the parade will be continued on the waters of the river, where boats decorated and garnished with flowers, will follow in line up and down the river.

TOP O' MICHIGAN POTATO SHOW

The Program and Premium Committees of the Top O' Michigan Potato Association met at Gaylord last week and made arrangements for the Seventh Annual Potato and Apple Show, which will be held at Gaylord on October 30 to November 1.

Few changes were made in the premium to be offered, but two new prizes of importance were announced. The Show Association is offering \$100 to help defray the expenses of the Master Potato Grower of Michigan to some Eastern potato tour. The tours proposed were to Prince Edward Island, Long Island, or New Jersey.

A second trip open only to members of the 4-H Clubs was also announced. This trip is to the International Livestock and Hay and Grain Show at Chicago in December and is awarded by the Ford Implement Company of Gaylord and the Saginaw Branch of the International Harvester Company. The winner of this trip will be judged on his winnings at the Show, his ability to judge and his ability to report the results of his Potato Club work. Mr. A. G. Tolson, Potato Specialist of Minnesota, has been engaged to judge the potatoes this year. The exhibitors will remember him as the judge of the 1926 Show.

Those committee men present at the meeting were R. J. Gehke, C. H. Blivin, Alpena County; Paul Barrett, Cheboygan County; B. C. Mellicamp, Charlevoix County; Kenneth Ousterhout, Antrim County; A. C. Lytle and L. V. Benjamin, Otsego County; E. M. McCrary of the Michigan State College and O. B. Price of the Michigan Central Railroad.

PONT WASTE WATER AT THE CEMETERY

Parties using water at the Elmwood cemetery are respectfully requested to avoid wasting it and also to be sure to turn off faucets after using. The pumps will be in operation each evening from 6 to 8 o'clock, and all in California desert, seventh found underneath car; mercury at 105; family of seven perish on scorching wasteland; boys report. Had drained radiator; tap open showing how group had sought to quench thirst.—Los Angeles Times.

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FREE CHEST CLINIC FRI. AUG. 2ND.

"Only through early discovery of tuberculosis can a cure from the disease be made certain," warns the Michigan Tuberculosis Association in advising persons who have the symptoms of tuberculosis to attend the free chest clinic which will be held in the school house at Grayling, on August 2. The clinic hours will be from 9 a. m. until 12 noon and from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Chest examinations at the clinic, given free to the residents of Crawford county, are financed by funds raised in the sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals, in which the citizens of Crawford county participated. "Early recognition of tuberculosis is not always easy," state the examining physicians of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, "because the onset of the disease is usually so insidious that it often secures a foothold before the patient realizes that anything out of the ordinary is wrong with his health. But for that very reason, it is important that knowledge of its early symptoms be common property."

"Early warning signals that should lead to a thorough chest examination are: a cough that does not yield to the usual methods of treatment; unexplained loss of strength or weight; persistent digestive disturbances; loss of appetite; a slight elevation in the temperature afternoons; or a continued unexplained tired feeling. "Tuberculosis may or it may not be the reason for these symptoms," advise the physicians, "but the only safe course to follow when they are observed is to secure a thorough examination."

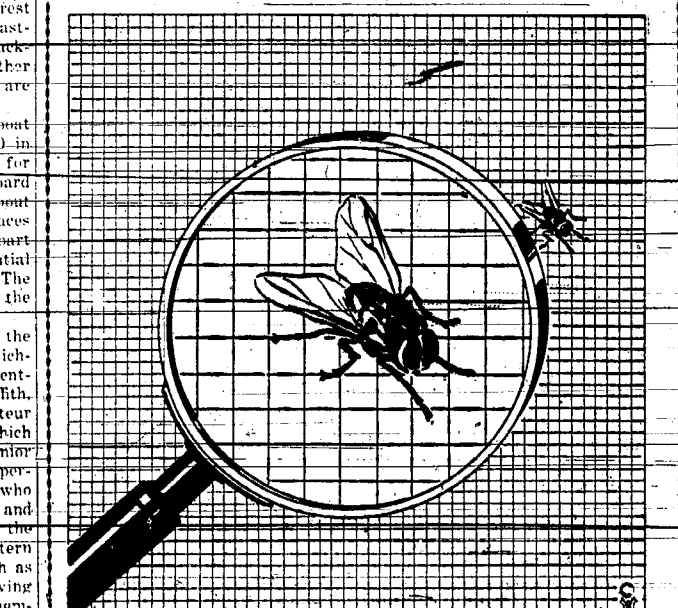
HOUGHTON LAKE RESORT CHANGES HANDS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, Adrian, have purchased the hotel operated for so many years by W. F. (Dad) Smith, known as the Houghton Heights Inn at Houghton Heights. Dad Smith was known to thousands of resorters and tourists whose acquaintance he made in the 12 years he operated the hotel before the present season opened.

"They have already proven themselves genial hosts and indications are that the popularity of this resort will continue to grow under their direction."

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THE CONTROL OF CRIME

"What the criminal law needs is not teeth but brains," says William J. Donovan, former Assistant Attorney General of the United States, "not the mental activity of a specially appointed commission of lawyers, but the concentration of the public brains. The criminal is alien only mentally and morally. He is not a denizen of some remote island. He is living among us, a part of the community in the physical sense. He has access to the automobile, to the airplane, and in New York at least, far easier access to the automatic pistol than has the law-abiding citizen. These things cannot be kept from him.

"Shortening and simplifying the process of criminal law, extending the power of the judge upon the bench, enforcing local laws locally instead of through the already encumbered Federal courts, developing a sense of responsibility in the individual citizen, in the community and in its judicial officers—these are the steps which will bring about the control of criminality."

Anti-pistol laws, anti-automobile laws, anti-aircraft laws or any other kind of "anti laws" passed on the theory that they will prevent crime, simply punish the law-abiding to the benefit of the law-breaker. The more laws we pass the more law-breakers we have. Crime will be reduced in proportion as the law-breaker learns that punishment will be swift and certain.

MICHIGAN VETERANS WILL PICNIC AT EATON RAPIDS

All roads in Michigan will lead to Eaton Rapids for Michigan veterans Sunday, August 4th, for the annual picnic and barbecue of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, at their National Home at that place.

This year's party is of particular importance as ground will be turned by Gov. Fred W. Green, for the new Michigan building which is being built and financed by the V. F. W. of Michigan.

The building, which is in reality a fine modern home, will house an additional 9 children, and will be finished this fall to allow officials at the home to take in a few of the many charges awaiting admission. Additional buildings will be built by other state organizations this year; Illinois, New York and Pennsylvania soon starting on additional units.

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The like "idea" came upon a mare's nest and is laughing at the eggs," is frequently heard in Ireland to express derision at somebody who thinks he has discovered something startling when it is in fact something known to all.—Kansas City Times.

Swedes Lovers of Beauty

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No Prize Offered for "Mare's Nest" Discovery

"Mare's Nest" is a phrase which we occasionally hear and which we understand to refer to almost any sort of a discovery which upon its face, and at first sight seems to be of considerable importance, but which subsequently is ascertained to be a hoax. By inference, therefore, a "mare's nest" has acquired the meaning of something that does not exist.

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Late News

National and Historical

Farm Board recommends a \$20,000,000 corporation be set up to market grain; would be farmer-owned. Merger of cooperatives laid before wheat belt leaders at Chicago.—Chicago Tribune.

Building of cruisers is suspended by Britain and the United States as Hoover proclaims Kellogg Pact; anti-war treaty in force; President declares it a sacred obligation of the governments.—New York Times.

Bremen seizes speed crown crossing Atlantic; cuts 8 hours, 53 minutes from record. 30,000 crowd pier in New York to inspect liner.—New York World.

Poincare quits as debt battle is won; Premier is obliged to take long rest prior to an operation. Debt accord ratified by French senate.—Detroit News.

200,000 see Pope leave Vatican; Pope leaves Vatican amid splendor.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Dry drive based on state "shame"; administration devises new plan for enforcement; public sentiment invoked.—Washington Post.

Japanese willing to act as umpire for Soviet and China. Germany joins powers in seeking peace plan.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

25 cents wins million; jobless taxi driver's barren Texas lot yields oil; had won on a 25-cent raffle ticket.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

3 dead, 20 are shot as prison rioters fire Clinton prison at Dannemora, N. Y. Whole body of 1500 convicts, led by 100 lifers, in sudden revolt, broke for escape amid clouds of smoke.—New York Sun.

Arkansas judge sitting in New York; ousts Gotham jury as unfair; censured by fourth Jones law acquittal.—New York Daily News.

Endurance fliers shatter all previous records for staying aloft.—Chicago Daily News.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, August 4th, 1929

10:30 a. m. Dr. Frank Watters of Ames Church, Bay City will preach. No one can afford to miss hearing Dr. Watters. He is the popular pastor of one of the most modern church plants in the area, and comes to us vacationing. He will occupy the pulpit for several days, and bring the message at the morning worship-hour. BE THERE!

4:30 p. m. No evening service. Seeing God in The Kitchen

"If the men had to cook the meals these hot days, they would have a new sympathy for the average housewife," was what I thought. There is monotony in doing anything over and over again without change. And thinking about breakfast, dinner and supper, day after day, must be monotonous business.

But even the mistress-of-the-kitchen has a chance to think some inspiring thoughts. At least Angela Morgan thinks so, for she writes:

"O God, I seem to find Thee everywhere."

The steam that rises from the kettle there seems more a miracle, somehow, to me. Than all the heavenly marvels that I see. The hum of good things cooking on the range. Fill me with rapture. Father, it is strange, Since these Thy products are of grain and food, And Thou Thyself hast called them very good."

Lost in Oblivion

Once upon a time a man convinced his small son that algebra would fit him for something big in later life, but his name is forgotten.—Detroit News.

For Late Summer



An attractive navy blue dress with white dots. It features a high waist and a flare at the hem.

Golf News

Robert S. Montague, Jr. of Higgins Lake played a 72 on eighteen holes here last Tuesday which is two strokes under par.

Ed! Ed! Look here quick! Order me 4 doz., spec. delivery, air mail! "A musical golf ball, which hums for 15 minutes after coming to a stop, thus enabling the player to find it in all kinds of traps and thickets is an invention claimed by Joe Salyer of Hammond. He calls it the 'humding-er'."

The Women of the Grayling Golf Club met at the club house Wednesday at one o'clock. Twenty-two members were present. After luncheon four two-somes played in a "Kickers' Handicap Tournament."

Mrs. Carl Michelson won the prize. Several tables of bridge were also enjoyed. The prize for high score going to Mrs. C. R. Keyport.

The play next week will start at two o'clock Wednesday. All women who are members of the club are asked to come either to enjoy nine holes of golf or a social game of bridge.

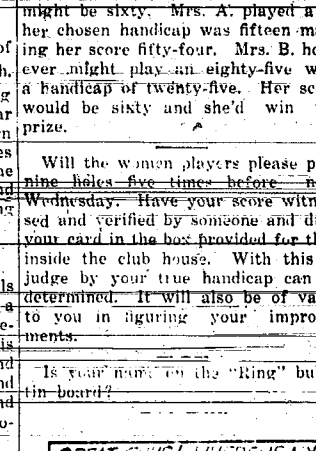
Explanation of a "Kickers' Handicap Tournament"

All golfers are kickers for they know any score they make can be improved. With this in mind the "Kickers' Handicap Tournament" was devised. It is also to make it possible for the novice golfer to compete. Numbers between fifty-five and sixty-five are put in a box and from them the winning number is drawn. Players reckon their own handicap by subtracting from their average score their guess as to the lucky number. For instance the drawn number might be sixty. Mrs. A. played a 68 her chosen handicap was fifteen making her score fifty-four. Mrs. B. however, might play an eighty-five with a handicap of twenty-five. Her score would be sixty and she'd win the prize.

Will the women players please play nine holes five times before next Wednesday. Have your score witnessed and verified by someone and drop your card in the box provided for this inside the club house. With this to judge by your true handicap can be determined. It will also be of value to you in figuring your improvements.

Is your name on the "Ring" bulletin board?

GREAT GRIN! WHERE IS MY WIFE WITH THE CAR? I'M NOT GOING TO TALK THOSE FOUR BLOCKS HOME. TH'S IS AN OUTRAGE!



THE MAN WHO HAS HOOFED ALL AFTERNOON WITHOUT A MURDER



OUR BREAD Is Always Good



GRAYLING BAKERY

A. R. CRAIG, Prop. Phone 16



Handy Spray Outfit

For Painting and Lacquering

\$7.50

Here is a Hand-Power Spray Pump that is designed for commercial use as well as for general use. It is a wonderful convenience for the household in Varnishing, Lacquering and general Household Painting.

Use it for painting Automobile, your Chairs and Tables, Radiators, Etc. It does the work easier and better than is done by handwork. It is very simple and easy to handle. There will be no dreading to do the usual household painting when you have one of these Handy Spray Outfits.

For the convenience of the public we have one on display at the Avalanche office. You will be welcome to inspect it at any time.

JOHN W. COWELL, Grayling, Mich.

WE HAVE

Cream Milk

Fresh Butter

Fresh Eggs

Cottage Cheese

Buttermilk

AND

ICE CREAM

Grayling Dairy

Phone 91-R

MOTOR RACES BRING LARGE CROWD TO THE HEIGHTS

Favored with ideal weather, the Sports Day program sponsored by the business men of The Heights brought a huge crowd to that Houghton lake resort center last Saturday and it proved a day of real fun and pleasure for everybody. The community took on a carnival spirit and things were doing the whole day. Perhaps the outstanding features were the golf tournament and the outboard motor races. The latter brought to the lake the greatest assemblage of noted racers that have congregated in Michigan waters this summer, among them being John Lesley of Manistee, Harold Sutton of Flint, Hub Myers of Detroit, John Hayes of Saginaw, Mr. Bailey of Charlevoix, Robert Klinworth and George McDonald of Higgins Lake. With water conditions just right the races were spectacular and gave a thrill to the hundreds of people who lined the shore.

The races were over a triangle course a mile in length, starting and ending at the Sanford dock. Eleven speed boats of the latest type driven by high class motors, entered the Class C classic. This was a three heat race and it sure was a pretty one, Harold Sutton winning on points with an Evirude, McDonald, driving the Flapper Two motored with a Caille, took a ducking after the first heat and was forced out of the race. The free-for-all race was a thriller with six boats entered. This race was won by Hub Myers of Flint with a Caille motor. He was in the lead at the first lap and continued in that position at the finish with Sutton a close second, 15 seconds behind. Myers covered the three laps in seven minutes flat. It is hoped that other races of this nature can be staged on our lakes in the near future.—Ex.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Florence heater, in good condition. A. M. Peterson. Phone 91-R.

WANTED—Agents in this County to sell the best Waterless Cleaner on the market. A general household article. Good profits. For appointment, address E. and R. Chemical Co., Oxford, Mich.

WANTED—Diamond, platinum wedding ring at the Music Box, Tuesday evening, July 23rd. Husband deceased. Generous reward. Please leave at Avalanche office. 7-25-2

WANTED—Washings, family, or piece, either kind. Mrs. William Brown.

INSURANCE MEN—District managers wanted for our Accident Department. Exceptional opportunity. Earnings average \$200.00 to \$400.00 monthly. Commercial Casualty Insurance Co., 600 Majestic Bldg., Detroit, Mich. 7-25-2

FOUND—A spaniel dog. Call 83-J.

FOR RENT—Fair house, small and in good condition. Electric lights. Good location. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Avalanche Office, Phone 111.

WANTED—Second hand roll-top desk. Anyone having for sale please notify Avalanche Office.

"As You Would Have Others Do Unto You"

The Golden Rule is the best one to follow in life. Why not in death? It is our rule of service in this establishment. We endeavor to place ourselves in the position of the bereaved family, and to serve accordingly.

We are in position to give ambulance service throughout the State. Feel at liberty to consult us.

SORENSEN BROTHERS UNDERTAKING

Tel. 79 Grayling, Mich.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, August 2, 1906

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson, July 28, a daughter.

Charles Z. Horton of Frederic brought down a sample of timothy, good enough for any land.

Charles Patullo, formerly clerk of the Grayling House, and for two years past clerk of the Vincent in Saginaw, has been promoted to the position of manager of that hotel. His friends will congratulate him believing that he will continue to be a success.

G. L. Alexander is treating his office to a coat of fresh paint this week.

Mrs. Bessie Wetzel of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. F. Hum.

The cement walk in front of the new bank building is repaired again.

Phil Moshier, now located at Johannesburg, was in town Monday on business.

Dr. Merriman and family are enjoying a visit from their niece, Miss Olive Merriman.

J. K. Hanson has changed the color of his residence to white. A great improvement.

Mrs. W. T. Hammond was called to Bay City last week by the serious illness of her grandson.

Miss Louise Cavanaugh of Bay City is visiting Miss Ida Hammond and other friends in this city.

Miss Inez Braden, who has been spending a few weeks in town, returned to her home in Detroit last Saturday.

Misses Marjorie and Blanch Chisholme of Duluth, Minn., are the guests of their cousin, Miss Catherine McPeak.

Miss Lillian Bates has returned home from a few weeks outing on the farm with Grandpa Bates in Maple Forest.

Mrs. G. W. Crandall and children have just returned from a month's visit with friends in Detroit and Lapeer county.

Chas. Richardson of South Branch, has been cutting some oats that average over five feet in height and are heavily filled.

The regular daily wreck on the M. C., piling up five freight cars at Roscommon, delayed all trains from that way several hours Monday.

Jos. Sims and wife of Lovella, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Charles Douglas, who has just returned from her old home in Canada.

Miss Myrtle Smith begins a two weeks well earned vacation this week at the old time reunion at AuSable, and will swing around the circle with other old friends.

Frank Whipple of Kalkaska was visiting P. Osterander and family the last of the week, returning Monday. He noticed the big improvement here since his last visit.

Do not say anything to Hal Davis or his wife about being caught under a sweater on the AuSable, Sunday and losing pole, paddle and umbrella. It was fun for the rest of the crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Miss Williams of Canada, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Alexander over Sunday and the entire party went to

Mackinaw Monday for a brief outing.

Feldhauser Bros., have their saw-mill set at O. F. Barnes' ranch for a cut of 100,000 feet of lumber which they will complete next week. The ranch must have new buildings to keep up with its growth in stock and crops.

Frank Phelps has been at home for a week's visit from his work in Stanton.

Miss Laura Simpson is spending her vacation from her school in Traverse City at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roblin and Master Robert, left Saturday for Detroit and Niagara Falls where they will spend a few weeks vacation.

The Avalanche office seems as desolate as a desert this week, and solemn as a funeral, on account of the absence of the foreman, P. Aebli, who is taking the week for his first days vacation in twenty years. He is stopping at his home at Portage Lake, and we hope enjoying every minute of his rest.

Frank Richardson, sheriff of Roscommon county, was on his farm in Richfield township last week Tuesday, haying, and while in the field discovered the barn on fire. It was entirely consumed, with all his farm tools, ten tons of hay, and a fine yearling colt. It is supposed to be a combination of a small boy and matches. Loss about \$2000, with no insurance.

That the people of Crawford county are expecting a big time on Thursday, August 15, the date of the Grange Rally and Crawford County picnic, is evidenced by the general interest taken in the matter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Joseph celebrated their daughter's 14th birthday at Mr. Colleen's at Portage Lake last Sunday. The table was decorated with flowers and ferns, and Mr. Colleen made a fine bouquet for the maid of honor, while Mrs. Colleen proved her success as a cook. Mr. Moore of Detroit accompanied the party.

A flotilla of eleven boats, carrying an even bunch of two dozens, of the AuSable last Sunday leaving here at 10 a. m., dining at Ingerson's at one, and reaching Wakeley's at 5 p. m., where they were met by carriages, which landed them at home at 8 o'clock in the evening. The gang consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Raynor, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Michelson, Mr. and Mrs. Bond, Mr. Caldwell, Mr. F. C. Taylor and Miss Florence and Evelyn Michelson and Carrie Bradish, who are resting at Portage, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Michelson, of Johannesburg; Mr. and Mrs. M. Hanson, Messrs. Giff Michelson, Axel Michelson, Fritz Michelson, Oscar Hanson, Helger Hanson, Sigwald Hanson, and N. Raue of Grayling. To say that it was a jolly crowd and jolly time is mild.

Bladder Weakness

If Bladder Weakness, Getting Up Nights, Backache, Burning or Itching Sensation, leg or groin pains, make you feel old, tired, peevish, and worn out why not make the Cystex 48 Hour Test? Don't give up. Get Cystex today at Mac & Gidley's. Put it to a 48 hour test. Money back if you don't soon feel like new, full of pep, sleep well, with pains alleviated. Try Cystex today. Only 80c.

Inside Information

Tomatoes, fresh, raw, or canned, are a good source of vitamins A, B and C. Include them very frequently in your menus. Young children and even babies may be given tomato juice.

Variations of the V-shaped neckline are usually becoming to the round, plump face, rather than a round neckline which repeats the lines of the face. A square-neck is also becoming to this type of face.

Be careful not to cook corn on the cob too long or it will be tough and tasteless. Have a large kettle of water boiling rapidly and drop the corn into the water for from 8 to 10 minutes, if there are not many ears.

To clean burners on a gas stove, take them out of their sockets and brush off all loose dirt. Boil in a solution of washing soda made by adding 1/4 pound of soda to each gallon of water, for 1/2 hour. Rinse and wipe dry, then put back and light the gas to finish drying off.

Shirred eggs are a pleasant change for breakfast or lunch. Drop the eggs into a shallow buttered baking dish, sprinkle buttered bread crumbs on top, and bake in a moderate oven until the eggs are set. Individual bakeware dishes may be used, and the eggs sent in them to the table.

GREEN TEA NOT SATISFACTORY AS A SOURCE OF VITAMIN C

Popular interest in good diet, and especially the recent emphasis on the importance of vitamins in our food, has led some dealers to make claims that can not always be substantiated by laboratory investigations. Green tea is one of the products for which distributors have claimed value as a source of vitamins—a claim which appears reasonable to many people because they know that only the young tender leaves of the tea plant are gathered for the market.

The Bureau of Home Economics has received a great many requests for information as to the reliability of these claims. A 9-month feeding experiment was therefore undertaken with guinea pigs, since other laboratory investigations seemed to present conflicting results. Tea, of course, is not consumed in the dry form, but as an infusion. The infusions fed to the guinea pigs were made according to the standard method specified by the Supervision Tea Examiner of the United States. A sample of Japanese green tea was used from a package described on the label as "rich in vitamin C."

Of the 14 guinea pigs used in the experiment, 10 were fed tea in addition to a basal diet that contained no vitamin C, 2 as negative controls were given the basal diet only, and 2 as positive controls were given the basal diet and orange juice, which is known to be an excellent source of the vitamin.

The guinea pigs that received the tea lived from three to six days longer, on the average, than the negative controls on the basal diet only. This indicated the presence of a very small amount of vitamin C in the tea. The symptoms of scurvy in these guinea pigs were just as severe as in the controls. The guinea pigs receiving 2 cubic centimeters of orange juice daily lived throughout the experimental period of 90 days and made significant gains in weight. They showed no signs of scurvy. In other words, 2 cubic centimeters of orange juice furnished enough vitamin C to very nearly meet the requirements for normal growth of the guinea pigs, while 15 cubic centimeters of the tea infusion did not furnish enough of this factor to prevent decline and death before the expiration of the 90-day period. This evidence tends to show that the claims made that this Japanese tea is "rich in vitamin C" are not substantiated.

NON-ADVERTISERS PAY IT ALL

Whose advertising bills do you pay? The merchant who does not advertise pays the advertising bills for the one who does.

Every merchant in business pays for advertising, whether he uses it or not. If a competitor's advertising takes any business away from him, the profit he would have made on the lost sale is what his competitor's advertising cost him.

You have perhaps wondered how some stores can afford to spend such enormous sums for advertising. That is easy to fathom. Their competitors, who do not advertise, and whose business they take, pay for their advertising.

Say the Jones family is a customer of yours. They have \$80 they intend to spend with you. They read the advertising of your competitor and are induced to spend their \$80 with him instead of spending it with you. The store makes 20 per cent or \$12 on the sale. It deducts, we will say, the \$1 advertising cost and has \$11 profit left. The advertising has cost nothing. It got back its cost and had \$11 profit it would not have had except for the advertising.

Who paid for this advertising? Did the advertiser pay? He got back the cost and profit besides.

Did the purchaser pay? No. He paid only the regular price.

Then who did pay? The merchant that did not advertise, but he paid out of his cash drawer the profit his competitor made on the sale. The merchant that doesn't advertise pays the advertising bill for the one that does. He pays in loss of sales and loss of profit. Red Bluff (Calif.) News.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Alaska May Be Dubbed Original Ellis Island

It is now evident that America was originally peopled by immigrants from Asia and it is probable that Alaska was the first scene of human history on this continent. Howard St. Weyer described at New Haven the relics yielded by prehistoric villages discovered during his explorations in Alaska. The American continents are younger with regard to human occupation than the Eastern hemisphere, according to Weyer. "The very first immigrants to them, the forerunners of the American Indians, doubtless came from Asia. This Alaska, which lies much closer to Asia than any other part of America, probably was the gateway through which passed these early Asiatic immigrants."

"The northwestern corner of North America, therefore, can be regarded as the first scene of human history in America. No aborigines of Arctic America, so far as is known, ever used a written language. Consequently the mute relics of material culture are the only source of historical information here. Nevertheless, the buried prehistoric villages of Alaska yield secrets to the archeologist."—Cummings Magazine.

Famous Carnac Stones Puzzles to Scientists

The Stones of Carnac in Brittany are one of the wonders of the age. Nobody knows when they were erected, or why. Nowhere throughout Europe can there be seen such perplexing evidence of an early race combining the most primitive simplicity with indications of a profound knowledge. Vast alignments of huge stones attract the eye, and are surrounded by smaller, rounded, polished stones, extending in hundreds of miles to the westward and hugging out in all directions to Erdevien, St. Barbe, Kernario, Kerlescan and the Quiberon. Interspersed among these are tumuli, mounds, dolmens (holed stones) and engraved stones.

To the casual visitor they are remnants of some worship, implying places of records of completed deeds and victories past. Their strange markings are exactly similar to the thumb marks of the human hand, but done on a large scale and with wonderful accuracy. The sight of the engraved columns and dolmens is almost exactly the same. What relation has Carnac with Egypt?

Cocoa Cause of Dispute

A Florentine who had resided in the West Indies introduced chocolate into Italy, whence its use gradually spread throughout Europe, though not without opposition.

Its introduction into Prussia was prohibited by Frederick the Great. A famous Paris physician, Bachelot, on the other hand, proclaimed cocoa as one of the most noble of discoveries, far more worthy to be the food of the gods than nectar and ambrosia, and Linnaeus, noted Swedish botanist, who gave cocoa its scientific classification, called it "theobroma," from the Greek words meaning "food for the gods," which remains its scientific name today.

Early Umbrellas Clumsy

The first fashionable sunshades imported into England were luxurious affairs, composed of the outside of bird feathers. During Queen Anne's reign a more practical style came into use and umbrellas began to be used as much on rainy days as they were on the sunny summer sun. These early English specimens were clumsy affairs made of heavy waxcloth or animal ribs. When wet the material stuck together and opening or closing them was a job for a superman. It was not until 1824 that Samuel Fox invented the modern type.—Detroit News.

Five-Eyed Insects

All insects, with few exceptions, have five eyes. Two of these are the compound eyes, which are situated one on each side of the head. The three remaining eyes are of the ordinary kind and are found on top of the head. These are usually clustered closely together in the form of a triangle. The compound eyes are for normal vision; the three simple eyes being more light sensitive, are able to distinguish between light and darkness. This is very important, especially for the night-flying insects.

Radio Tends the Baby

An eastern mother whose husband is a radio expert, makes her radio set tend the baby. When she puts him in his crib upstairs she places the loud speaker near him. By turn the loud speaker into a microphone, by use of an adapter, when the baby wakes up and cries mother gets the signal by radio wherever her household duties may take her. This is done by reversing the radio set. No nursemaid was ever more watchful and unflinching.—Copper's Weekly.

For a Pie

Buddy, not quite three, is exceedingly fond of pie. One day his mother remarked that she just didn't know what to have for dinner.

"I know," said Buddy, "have pie." "Well, I don't believe I have anything to make pie with," answered mother.

"Oh, yes, mother, you have a receipt," was the response.

MAJOR GENERAL—REAR ADMIRAL CARTER

A curious bit of military naval history, probably the only case of its kind, has come to the attention of the Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit. Major General—Rear Admiral Carter served as a naval officer in the Mexican War. During the Civil War, he served in the army, attaining the rank of Major General. Afterwards he returned to the naval service, where he retired as Rear Admiral.

SYMPATHETIC



"I was just taking a little beauty nap."

"Oh! It's too bad I disturbed you."

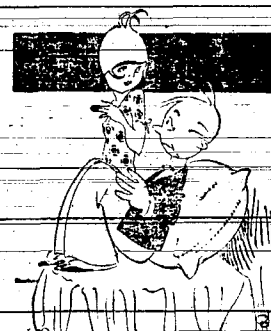
HER CARRIAGE SPOILED



Mrs. Mill—They say her carriage was completely spoiled by the accident.

Mrs. Mill—But the accident was to her automobile, not a carriage, my dear.

TALKING TOO YOUNG



"Whose little olums is you?"

"To your age, Jack. I'm your red hot mummy."

GOOD JUDGMENT



"You are telling me that you both agree to live the life of celibates?"

"Well, you don't think I'd let her know any different do you?"

THEY DON'T WEAR ANY



"Are you opposed to petticoat government?"

"Absolutely. Keep all women out of politics but the dappers."

THE GREAT DANE



Did you know Shakespeare's last will and testament?

"No, which one?"

"His play about Hamlet the great Dane."

A WARNING TO BERRY-PICKERS

A warning to berry-pickers to be extremely careful with their words, as the season continues to be dry, was issued today by the forest fire division of the conservation department. Berry-pickers should be especially careful, as the dry weather is always dangerous from carelessly thrown matches or smoking material.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Avalanche.

E. M. T. PLANS ILLUSTRATED FEATURES

Representatives of the East Michigan Tourist association are making a survey of each county for the 1930 Tourist Guide.

It is proposed to present in the booklet illustrated features of the several counties as points of special interest to the tourist. It is also planned to publish separate routing booklets for each main highway in Michigan, giving the tourist detailed information on inter-highway roads, angling waters, camps, drinking water, bathing beaches, golf links, airports, dancing provisions, flora regions and beaver, deer, and other animal view locations.

TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIENS UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED.

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Crawford.

The southeast quarter of the north-west quarter of Sec. 3, Town 28N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$8.26 tax for year 1925.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$8.26, plus the fees of the Sheriff.

George Wesley Philhour, place of business 311 N. 7th St., Fairbury, Illinois.

To Federal Bank of Canada, Frances Kochunnek, and Ruth Saxton, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Walton Langness, grantee under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes, appearing of record in said register of deeds.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Crawford.

The northwest quarter of the south-west quarter of Sec. 3, Town 28N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$8.18 tax for year 1925.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$8.18, plus the fees of the Sheriff.

George Wesley Philhour, place of business 311 N. 7th St., Fairbury, Illinois.

To Federal Bank of Canada and Sylvia Siabing, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
County of Crawford.

The northeast quarter of the south-west quarter of Sec. 3, Town 28N, Range 2W. Amount paid \$7.75 tax for year 1925.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$7.75, plus the fees of the Sheriff.

George Wesley Philhour, place of business 311 N. 7th St., Fairbury, Illinois.

To Federal Bank of Canada and Agnes R. Carnell, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

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Always in Demand Doctor Colman's Compound

ous kiasing to the licking of salt by cattle. He might have added that the cattle always come back for more.—Toledo Blade.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the 12th day of July A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Benson, deceased.

Marius Hanson of the Village of Grayling having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Melvin A. Bates or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of August, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said county, on the 19th day of July A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hans R. Nelson, deceased.

Earl W. Nelson, a son of said deceased having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration and the full settlement of said estate be granted to said Earl W. Nelson or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of August, A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

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Judge of Probate.

7-25-4

DIRECTORY

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

PROBATE COURT

Crawford County, Mich.
Sessions: First and Third Monday of every month.

Hours: 9:00 to 11:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 3:00 p. m.

Any information and first proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros. GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

R. L. BARRUS

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MARIUS HANSON, Proprietor.

Interest paid on certificates of deposit. Collections promptly attended to. All accommodations extended that are consistent with safe and conservative banking.

Marius Hanson, Cashier.

NOTICE To Users of City Water

ON ACCOUNT OF THE ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF WATER
USED DURING THE HOT WEATHER WE ARE FORCED TO ASK
EVERYBODY USING CITY WATER TO CLOSE UP ALL OUT-
SIDE SPRINKLERS FROM 8 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

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WATERWORKS COMMITTEE

By the Village Council

AN AIRPLANE MOTOR WITH 400
LESS PARTS

By Erwin Greer
(President Greer College of Aviation, Chicago, Ill.)

Operative Number 20546, my Fordland, Oregon, correspondent reports something decidedly new in aeronautical progress—an airplane motor with 400 less parts than those now in use—a motor that does everything with valves and the intricate and faulty assemblies which bring down ships today. A motor with but 1.6 pounds per horsepower, in unit of 150 horsepower and above. Where all major adjustments are made by removing but one part—the face of the crankshaft.

"About all that has been done thus far has been to prove that we can fly," says Erwin Greer. "At the specific kind of engine which aviation must develop there is not the slightest sign yet."

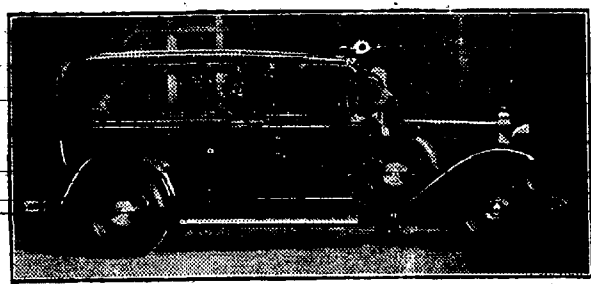
But just such a motor is completed and ready for quantity production, and in August will be put through sensational and grueling tests by Colonel Arthur Goble.

The Aerobut, the first motor of the aircraft series of Aero-Motors, Incorporated, is an eight-cylinder, split cycle, radial air-cooled engine developing 150 horsepower at 2,000 revolutions per minute. The bore and stroke are respectively 3 1/2 by 4 1/2, giving a total piston displacement of 326 cubic inches. Compression ratio is 14 to 1. The weight minus starter is 225 pounds.

In this motor the four cycles of the usual standard type engine have been split between a supercharger and a firing cylinder operating in pairs, and each pair functioning as a complete motor. Because of this unique "power tandem" a radical change is made over present standard designs in airplane powerplants. The mechanisms that have proven the Waterloo of so many flights—the hundreds of small parts that go to make up the valves and their assemblies—the totally eliminated. For the Aerobut constitutes a complete upset of existing engineering practice. Better still, plans are now being carried forward for its Dieselization.

Poor Man's Orchid
Increasing popularity has won for the gladiolus many titles, among which are Nature Magazine, "the universal flower" and "the poor man's orchid" are common. Societies are formed around it.

1930 Buick Has New Body Lines



The 1930 Buick makes its debut this week on the showroom floor at approximately 4,000 dealers throughout the country and, according to factory officials at Flint, Michigan, this new creation will prove one of the outstanding sensations of the year in both performance and appearance.

The Buick line, as in former years, is divided into three series. The wheelbase and the horsepower of all models of the three series have been increased. The wheelbase of the six models of the 40 series has been increased from 116 to 118 inches and the engine has been stepped up to 90 1/2 horsepower.

Wheelbase on the two models in the 30 series is increased from 121 inches to 124 inches and on the six models of 60 series from 129 inches to 132 inches. Models in the 30 and 60 series have an engine which will develop 92 horsepower. All models in all series have an actual speed well up in the seventies.

In addition to lengthening the wheelbase, the car has been built lower. Body lines and contours have been refined, the shape of the radiator revised, the margin of the radiator shell diminished and thermally operated shutters added to the front. The result is a car of unusual beauty, fleet lines and obvious comfort. The body bears the stamp of Fisher craftsmanship.

Many mechanical advances have been embodied in the 1930 Buick. A steering wheel road shock eliminating device is one of them and this feature, coupled with a fully adjustable worm and roller type steering assembly, makes the new car singularly easy to steer and handle at high speeds on the open road and in slow moving heavy traffic.

Semi-elliptic springs and double acting shock absorbers are used, together with four wheel internal expansion controlled Servo brakes, redesigned transmission and clutch, improved rubber motor mountings and a wider and sturdier chassis frame. A sloping non-glare windshield is another advancement incorporated in the new Buick.

Performance tests, conducted over a period of several months at the General Motors Proving Grounds, have demonstrated that its speed, handling ability and riding comfort set a new all-around precedent in the field of automobile travel.

NEW COUNTY MAPS

Colored maps of Roscommon county showing the different soils, the farm development, and the nature of the forest growth along with various physical features such as streams, roads, dwellings, are the latest additions to the series published by the land economic survey, according to L. R. Schoenmann of the conservation department.

Similar colored maps in the series are now ready for Antrim and Ogemaw counties, while uncolored preliminary maps of Charlevoix, Alpena, Menominee, Chippewa, Kalamazoo, and Crawford counties can be had.

Five different types of maps are published by the department for each county inventoried by the land economic survey: base maps which show section lines, lakes, streams, and man-made improvements as roads, houses, railroads, towns, churches, and schools; soils maps showing the location and extent of the different sand, loam, clay, and swamp soils; cover or farm-forest maps showing present location, kind, density and size of forest growth; areas recently burned over, idle and used farm and pasture land; property ownership maps showing the owners of acreage property as found in the county records; geological maps which show rock outcrops, glacial and hard rock formations, gravel, clay, marl, and peat. Water power reports for the various counties are also available.

These maps will be mailed to any address for the cost of printing. The complete price list can be had by writing to the conservation department.

One of the most important functions of the inventory taken by the survey is the information which it supplies to the various divisions of the conservation department in the expansion and locating of parks, forests, game refuges, fire towers, and many other activities. Industries, settlers, and resorters also make valuable use of the survey's maps to locate lands and conditions particularly adapted to their needs.

THE LAST PINE DRIVE?

On the Manistiquia river in the upper peninsula there has been in progress since early June a "drive" of 2,400,000 feet of logs, which have been floated 50 miles down stream to the sawmills at Manistiquia from the headwaters of the Driggs river. This drive consists of 600,000 feet of Norway and white pine, 1,000,000 feet of hemlock and 800,000 feet of birch, oak, elm and basswood, is thought to be the last pine drive of any consequence that will be seen in this state, where hundreds of sawmills once hummed and millions of logs once roared down the rivers.

Commercial logging in Michigan began when the first steam sawmill was built at Saginaw in 1832. Since then Michigan has yielded approximately 190,000,000,000 feet of pine. From 1868 through the eighties lumbering was at its peak. By 1872 there were 1,500 sawmills in operation, employing 20,000 persons and representing a capital of \$25,000,000. Logs were sent down the Saginaw, Black and AuSable rivers in the eastern part of the lower peninsula, the Grand, Muskegon, Manistiquia and Boardman in the west. The cities of Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Muskegon, with Menominee in the upper peninsula, boomed.

The forests of the state faded before the axe. The best black walnut, maple, beech, elm, oak, hickory and chestnut were taken indiscriminately. Forest fires added to the destruction. By 1876 Governor Bagley, in establishing an arbor day by proclamation, was already seeking to make the people realize the problem confronting them. By 1896 the wealth of trees in the lower peninsula had been destroyed, and the big stands in the upper peninsula were practically by 1905. In the latter year the Michigan Forestry association was founded at Grand Rapids. Since that time a program of reforestation has been developed.

Although now noted more as a manufacturing state, Michigan has several state forests and 196,782 acres of national forest reserve. In 1926 there were 633,344,000 board feet of lumber cut in Michigan, a small amount compared to present cuttings in southern and western states, or to the number of logs sent roaring down the railroads in the old days.—Detroit Free Press.

NAVY PLANE RESCUES CHILDREN

Five children owed their lives to the pilot of a navy seaplane at Annapolis, Md., when he landed on the waters of Chesapeake Bay and picked them up, after sighting them clinging to an overturned boat. Lieut. Edward S. Mulhern, U. S. N., the pilot, brought his plane down beside the boat and took the children on board, landing them at St. Michaels, where they were turned over to the father of one of them.—Navy News.

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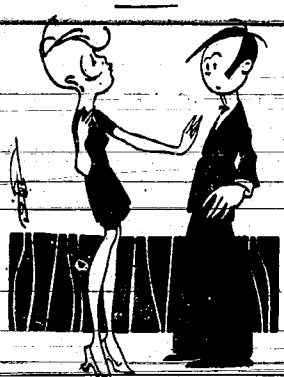
We know you will be surprised and justly so, too. We were surprised when we tried them. They positively will take that Corn off. Also Jiffy for Bunions and Callouses. Each Box Absolutely Guaranteed.
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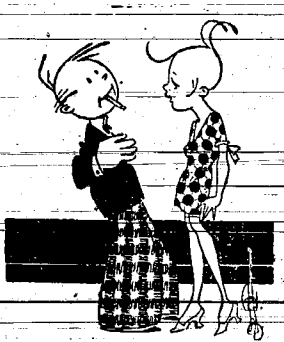
She—Don't you think love at first sight is the best?
He—Not by a long sight.

GOOD TAKE OFF



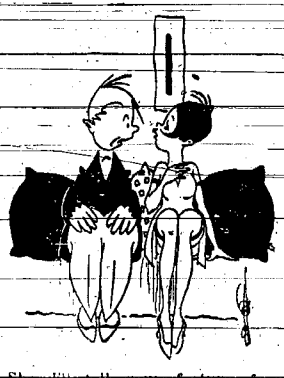
He—You girls seem to be trying to imitate the chorus girls in dress.
She—Yes. Good take off, eh?

WOULD GIVE UP



She—Before we were married you said you'd give up smoking for me.
He—Well, I've now reached the point where I'm willing to give you up for smoking.

ALREADY TOLD



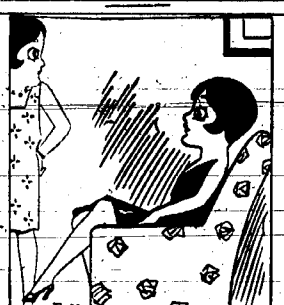
She—If I tell your fortune for a quarter.
He—You've already told it.

GOOD PROTECTION



How can a man protect himself against love at first sight?
By taking a second good look.

HAD FIGURED ALL RIGHT



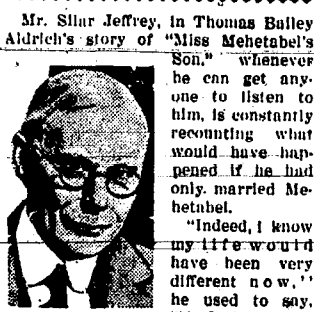
Mary—Have you ever figured in any gripping situations?
May—Oh, been bugged a few times.

LAS. CURWOOD, JR. BLOPS AND WEBS

Owosso, Mich., July 17 (UP)—Culminating a romance that began on a world tour last winter, James Oliver Curwood, Jr., son of the late novelist and conservationist, died today at his home in Owosso, Mich., of a heart ailment. He was 40 years old. His wife, Mrs. William L. Ford, of White Sulphur Springs, Curwood's mother, Mrs. Ethel Curwood today revealed.—Ex.

Shilly-Shallying and Regret

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.



Mr. Silar Jeffrey, in Thomas Bailey Aldrich's story of "Miss Mehetabel's Son," whenever he can get anyone to listen to him, is constantly recounting what would have happened if he had only married Mehetabel.

"Indeed, I know my life would have been very different now," he used to say, "if I had only married Mehetabel," and so on.

"Why didn't he marry her?" the visitor in the neighborhood inquired of the village hotel keeper.

"Never asked her," was the reply. "Might have married her forty times. She'd have had him quick enough. Seven years, off and on, he kept company with Mehetabel, and then she died. He shilly-shallied."

And so, he never had a home, never had a son, and all through life talked about what might have been as many people since his time have done.

Gregory always thought that the town would have a boom one of those days, and if it did the only possible direction it could expand would be toward the south. There was a beautiful tract of land—forty acres or so—lying just at the edge of the village, well situated, well watered, a perfect place to build if the town should develop. He could have bought it for a small sum and he had the money, but he hesitated to take the risk, he shilly-shallied, and someone else, seeing his opportunity, stepped in, took a change, and cleared a hundred thousand dollars in no time.

Now Gregory is regretting his hesitation, and telling everyone what he might have been worth today and how different his life would be if only he had not shilly-shallied. The thing had been his almost for the taking.

I saw in the paper last night that Watson who died a week or two ago had left no will. He had meant, I know, to do something worth while for charitable organizations in which he had a real interest, and there were certain intimate friends who had every reason to expect benefit by his death. I saw in the paper, however, that he was quite considerate, would go to some remote and distant relatives whom he had never seen and in whom he had little interest.

He had always intended to make a will; he had known that that was the only thing for him to do, but he had shilly-shallied, putting it off from day to day until it was too late. Where he not far beyond the possibility of regret and self-criticism, I am sure that Watson would be telling everyone to what better purposes his wealth might have been put and he not neglected doing the thing which he at the time knew was for him the wise procedure.

I hear people every day regretting as did Jeffrey that he had not married Mehetabel, that they had not taken advantage of this or that opportunity, made this or that investment, or gone into one profession or another. It is useless. Things might not have turned out as they expected. If Jeffrey had married Mehetabel they might not have had a boy.

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1929 E. M. T. GUIDE IN DEMAND

"The best medium of its kind ever published in the state," is the comment of one prominent business man of East Michigan regarding the East Michigan 1929 Tourist Guide and Directory. "It contains more information in a small compact booklet than any tourist guide that I have ever seen. It is surprising the diverse questions which are answered by the information in the book."

A prominent business man on the west side who caters to the tourists and resorters wrote E. M. T. asking for extra copies of the guide, declaring it to be the best thing of its kind that he had seen.

A Bay City woman driving in the Thumb district had a flat tire and used her guide to call a garage at Port Austin.

The uses to which the Guide has been put are varied. Automobile clubs within and without the state have commended the association upon its preparation.

The Care of Your Money

DANGERS OF PLAYING THE MARKET

Previously it has been pointed out that the person with limited funds who wants to make his money—earn more money—should beware of the stock market. The risk of losing a great part or all of the money you pay for stocks more than offsets the possibility of obtaining large profits.

The amateur who plays the stock market in the same position as the untrained and inexperienced person who might attempt to run your business. You know that such a person hasn't a chance until he grinds for many years and becomes experienced and ripe for action.

If you were a farmer and saw a manufacturing business for sale, would you buy it and run it yourself? Would you trade your farm for a shoe factory, knowing nothing about operating such an establishment? If you were wise, you would not.

The same holds true in speculation. You know little or nothing about the complicated affairs of buying and selling stocks; so what right have you to play the market?

Just as successful farming, manufacturing or any of the professions requires years of training and work and continual study, so does the business of buying and selling stocks. And even the most experienced and shrewdest stock brokers are often disastrously unsuccessful in their dealings. The wisest speculator in the country declared that he was satisfied to be right four times out of seven.

Surely if the men who live in contact with the stock market cannot make money out of such operations, the outsider has a meager chance of profit.

Even "inside information" won't get you very far on the stock market. Take the case of a prominent attorney who was employed by certain stockholders to bring suit to dissolve a large company whose stock was overvalued. The attorney was sure to break the price of the stock, he raised \$15,000 and sold the stock short. His information was accurate. He was "on the inside." And it looked as though he was certain to double his money. The stock was sold at 10 o'clock immediately after the opening of the exchange. At noon announcement was made that this company would be merged with others in a larger company. The suit was withdrawn. Immediately the stock advanced. The lawyer was fortunate to escape with the loss of half his stake.

Which brings us to the only possible conclusion, if the average inexperienced speculator sticks at the game long enough he will lose. (If you have any financial questions to ask, Straus Bros. Investment Institute, Chicago, will be glad to answer them without obligation on your part.)

Smart Three-Piece Suit



A smart three-piece suit of brown woolen mixture with an embroidered crepe de chine blouse. There are two plaits on the left side of the skirt.

"Limited" Trains

About 50 years ago the number of cars on some trains was limited and when the space was booked, no more passengers were accepted. These trains were called limited. Today the word describes a train which may stop only at the more important stations.

Subscribe for the Advance.

WEALTH WON BY UNSOUND MEANS SELDOM PROVES OF LASTING VALUE

(By S. W. Straus, President American Society for Thrift.)

Successful men who have built up large enterprises, in the majority of cases, owe their success largely to thrift.

Thrift gave them the start they needed and it was the development of this characteristic that imparted the combination of courage and cautious judgment with out which there can be no substantial success in money matters.

Although the ability to make money is, to a considerable extent, a matter of natural aptitude, the still more important accomplishment of thrift can be acquired by anyone. There is no excuse for not saving money.

Thriftlessness is an indication of weakness. It is indecision of character.

Thrift requires steadfastness and the martailing of the last ounce of moral strength that we possess. But it does not require any special genius or brilliant gift of mind.

No matter how shrewd a man may be or how keenly developed his instincts for acquiring wealth, he will never be successful unless an element of thrift is woven into all his activities.

The so-called plunger—the meteoric financier—may at times seem able to defy prudent practices and principles of thrift. But such success is seldom permanent. Wealth thus gained rather than through the working out of sound business practices nearly always proves transitory.

Lack of thrift has caused more financial failures than anything else. How many men there are today who might become wealthy had they only known how to save money! During the course of their careers they have earned large sums but these have slipped through their fingers from day to day. They had the natural gift of making money, just as their successful rivals, but they lacked the quality of permanent success—which is thrift.

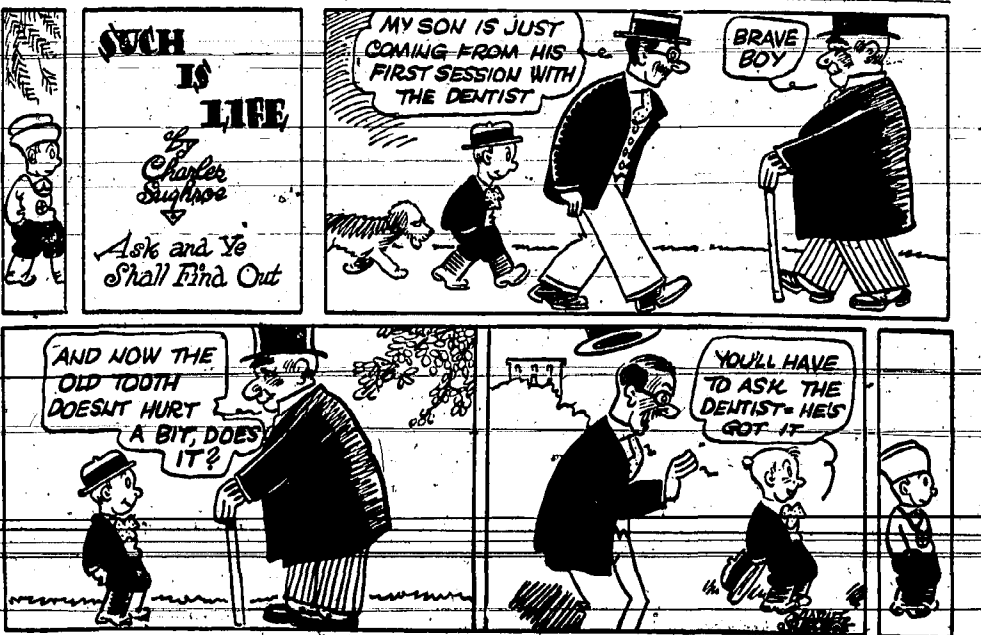
Aids Mrs. Hoover



Miss Roberta I. Braddock of Los Angeles, Calif., who has been appointed social secretary to Mrs. Herbert Hoover, wife of the President.



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Oscar Hanson has been very ill with pneumonia at Mercy Hospital.

Fred Hoseli is absent from his duties at the A and P Store because of illness.

There will be a meeting of the Eastern Star Lodge Wednesday, August 7.

Halford Kittleman of Chicago spent a few days this week visiting his family and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf.

Alfred Hermann returned to Lansing Thursday after spending several days with Mrs. Hermann and Barbara Elizabeth.

Village taxes are due. They may be paid to Herluf Sorenson, village treasurer at the O. Sorenson and Sons store. 8-1-3

Edward Piper and family of Lansing spent several days at the home of the former's cousin Chas. Ostrand and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Jaynes and daughter Frances of Grosse Pointe, and Miss Margaret Labadie of Detroit are occupying the Ingley cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Harvey Kriepke of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kriepke, former residents of Grayling and three of his boy friends are camping at Lake Margrethe at the Danish Landing.

The County Road commission have purchased and received a new Adams grader, a five-ton caterpillar special tractor and automatic scraper, for use in construction and repair work on our county roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Craven of Fredonia entertained the following guests over the week end: Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGin, Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Lamerun, Misses Maggie O'Neil and Francis Cashion all of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann of Lansing are happy over the birth of a daughter, Barbara Elizabeth, born Monday, July 29 at Grayling Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Hermann was formerly Miss Mildred Bates.

Six of the original famous 32 Fox Tillerettes are entertainers at the Music Box this week. Tables have been set up in cabaret style for Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Everyone invited.

Fred Hanson, age 78 years old and a farmer of Roscommon, passed away at Mercy Hospital Monday morning after a several months illness. The remains were taken to Park Ridge, Illinois for burial yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Prescott and daughter Miss Erva of Lincoln, Michigan called at the Avalanche office Monday afternoon. Miss Prescott remained here to take charge of the M. S. C. Kitchen demonstration.

Henry Lord, a former old resident of Gaylord and the father of Forrest A. Lord, who at one time published the Gaylord Advance at that place, passed away at his home in Gaylord Sunday. The funeral was held at Gaylord.

Grayling baseball team went to Manistee last Sunday and met defeat at the hands of the team of that place by a score of 11 to 2. Many of the regulars were unable to go over so the locals were forced to play with a pick-up team.

Au Sable Furs Inc. offer a special investment that will prove of interest to the most exacting. The integrity of this corporation and its stockholders back this offer, which remains open only to September 15, 1929. Further information upon request. R. A. Wright, Secy-Treas. 8-1-3

The Danish Ladies Aid Society and the children of the Danish Sunday School enjoyed their annual picnic at the State park at Otsego Lake Wednesday. They have always been in the habit of having the picnic at Lake Margrethe, but decided the kiddies would enjoy a ride and something different in scenery this year. All enjoyed themselves very much.

A survey of the nation's reading habits by the American Library Association and the American Association for Adult Education revealed that 95 per cent of America's literate population read newspapers, 76 per cent buy magazines and 50 per cent delve into books. Only 5,000,000 of an estimated 121,000,000 persons in the country cannot read or write.—Ex.

Next Sunday the pulpit of Michigan Memorial church will be occupied by Rev. Dr. Watters of the Ames Community church, Saginaw. Dr. Watters is recreating here for the present at Lake Margrethe. A good attendance is desired next Sunday to hear Dr. Watters. Coming from the best church in Saginaw we have the right to expect an excellent sermon, and we are sure there will be no disappointment.

It will be interesting to note the conveniences that are being found by tourists at our free tourist park—Connine grove. On Sunday night, July 21st 71 tents were pitched. Besides this 15 autos were used for sleeping quarters that same night. Everybody who goes there is loud in his praises of the camp. Many claim it to be the best park they have visited. This is not from the viewpoint of its elaborateness nor fine buildings but from its cleanliness, its pleasant grove, fine water, tables and other conveniences desired by campers. And the pretty East Branch river running thru the grounds affords all who desire a place for bathing and cooling off after a long drive.

The place is now nicely lighted and also has two boulevard lights at its entrance. Baseball and basket ball equipment also add interest for the youngsters in the parties.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anstett of Saginaw were Grayling eaters a couple of days last week.

Mrs. E. J. Callahan has purchased a new Duo-Disc washer from the Michigan Public Service Co.

Alex and Lorraine Kochanowski of Detroit are here to spend the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waldron.

The boys choir of St. Andrews of Ann Arbor were very much enjoyed by a fair sized summer audience at the morning service of the Michigan Memorial church Sunday.

Junior Hanson tried the Prince of Wales act last Tuesday but didn't come out of it successfully. His horse was frightened by a car and ran away. In turning a corner the animal fell throwing Junior to the ground. He was taken to the hospital where he is doing very nicely, however at first his injuries caused much concern.

Arnold Adams of Stanton is in Mercy Hospital suffering with peritonitis caused by a ruptured appendix. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Adams are here to remain with him. They are very high in their praise of the hospital and of the doctors and feel that their son is receiving the best of service and care.

The Detroit News Sunday edition has been publishing a series of very interesting pictures of Grayling and surrounding territory. Last week's were exceptionally good. The Lake Margrethe scene showed some very clever photography and one would have sworn it was a picture of the tropics. There was also a night flashlight taken of three parties pulling up the river which was very interesting. Grayling is extremely fortunate in being represented by such excellent pictures and in receiving such fine publicity.

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The resorters at Wab-Wah-Soo were treated to a real sight Wednesday morning when one of them discovered a dead muskellunge on the beach. The fish was nearly five feet long and had evidently been dead for three or four days when it was washed ashore. A few years ago a smaller musky was reported caught in Otsego Lake, but that was the only instance in the memory of the oldest resorters when one was found.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson, Misses Kathryn Brown and Ingeborg Hanson entertained fourteen friends Monday evening at a marshmallow and wineo roast at Beaver Island on the Au Sable. The affair was given in honor of the following out-of-town guests, who are visiting in the city: Mrs. Edward W. Crenne, Mrs. Flinty Mrs. M. T. Younken, New York City; Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen, Mrs. Signy Rasmussen, Detroit and Miss Hester Hanson, Ann Arbor.

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The resorters at Wab-Wah-Soo were treated to a real sight Wednesday morning when one of them discovered a dead muskellunge on the beach. The fish was nearly five feet long and had evidently been dead for three or four days when it was washed ashore. A few years ago a smaller musky was reported caught in Otsego Lake, but that was the only instance in the memory of the oldest resorters when one was found.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson, Misses Kathryn Brown and Ingeborg Hanson entertained fourteen friends Monday evening at a marshmallow and wineo roast at Beaver Island on the Au Sable. The affair was given in honor of the following out-of-town guests, who are visiting in the city: Mrs. Edward W. Crenne, Mrs. Flinty Mrs. M. T. Younken, New York City; Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen, Mrs. Signy Rasmussen, Detroit and Miss Hester Hanson, Ann Arbor.

The boys of St. Andrew's choir of Ann Arbor who are recreating at Lake Margrethe got up a baseball team and crossed bats with Coach Cushman's boys team. The schedule was for the team winning two games out of three to be given a banquet.

The Grayling boys proved too fast for their guests and took the first two games right off the bat. First game was won 19 to 2 and the second game was won 10 to 2. Next week they will go to a team which, of course, they will get. Kenneth Guthrie pitched for Grayling and Edwin Chiles and Hoseli did the catching. Wm. Curtis, principal of a Detroit school was the umpire.

Quite a bit of excitement was stirred up at the William Floeter farm home in South Branch township last Friday evening when Grace, his nine-year old daughter became missing. John McGillis and Mr. Floeter were making hay and had come from the field about 6:30 when Mrs. McGillis called them for supper. Everyone was at the table but Grace. She was called several times but no answer came. A little later Mr. Floeter and boys began searching but no trace of her could be found. They went to the McGillis home when a search was started again. Several men were out until 4 o'clock in the morning but during their absence she came home between 2 and 3 o'clock. When the party returned she was in bed asleep. Being awakened she said she had been kidnapped and carried away by a man. She was carried about three miles from home to what is known as the Hickey creek. Here the man set her down telling her to stay there until he came back. Instead of remaining she jumped up and ran home. She described the man as dressed in black suit, gray cap and blue shirt, had red hair and wore mustache and whiskers. He was a middle-aged man about 5 feet 7 inches tall. Roscommon Herald-News.

William McCullough, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lindholm and daughter June, all of Kenosha, Wis., were visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCullough over the week end. The men caught some fine trout while here.

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News Briefs

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1929

Play golf at Grayling.

Walter Bosworth of Bay City was in Grayling a few days this week.

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Elmer Neal is assisting in the A. & P. store during the forced absence of Fred Hoseli.

Miss Dorothy May entered the Mercy Hospital Training School for Nurses this morning.

Miss Hester Hanson of Ann Arbor was the guest of Miss Kathryn Brown from Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felt enjoyed having as their guest over the week end, D. C. LeBaron of St. Johns.

John Phelps of Saginaw spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of Herman Hanson, who is vacationing here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander and Fred and Mrs. O. P. Schumann and Helen and Mary Esther attended the Sunday concert at Interlochen.

Robert Squire was born Wednesday morning at Mercy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. LaVere Cushman. He proved a fine 7 1/2 pound boy and no doubt will be a joy to his parents.

The Woman's Club wish to thank all those who advertised in the program and their store windows for the play "Here Comes Arabella," and those who in any way helped to make the play a success.

Miss Virginia Hanson has received word that her application to Vassar college has been accepted. Only a small percentage of the number from Chicago who applied were chosen. We congratulate Miss Hanson.

Rev. Greenwood and family left Monday on a two weeks vacation. They went first to Durham, Ontario to visit Mr. Greenwood's father and other relatives. From there they are going to Georgian Bay. They are planning on returning to Grayling about August 15th.

Al. Cramer, who is a patient at Mercy Hospital is improving.

Herman Hanson of Flint is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Hansine Hanson.

Addison Lewis and David Minter of Flint spent the week end with their families at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. J. B. Anderson of West Hope, North Dakota, is the guest of his daughter Mrs. J. W. Greenwood.

Roy D. Holmberg and two children of Detroit arrived in Grayling Monday and will make his home here again.

Day Jackpine and Norway slabs and edgings for sale. \$2.50 per cord delivered. T. E. Douglas. Phone 150.

Miss Anna Nelson of Grand Rapids is spending her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson.

The Detroit Free Press printed some fine pictures which were taken at the Governor's review Sunday, July 21.

Ole Wium returned to his home in Detroit Monday after a week's visit here, the guest of Mrs. Signa Rasmussen.

Miss Maude Pillsbury of Lansing, niece of Mrs. Malcolm McLeod is a guest at Birchwood Lodge on the Manistee river.

Mrs. Isaac Bouslay and three children of Wyandotte are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis LaMotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ostrand and daughter Miss Ethel accompanied by Bertha and Albert Denewett motored to Alpena Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Stephan has purchased a new seven and a half cubic foot general electric refrigerator from the Michigan Public Service Co.

Russell Robertson underwent an operation for sinus trouble in Bay City Saturday. He returned home Monday and is recovering nicely from the operation.

Mrs. Emil Niederer and daughter Helen Pond drove to Mackinaw City Wednesday. Miss Helen is remaining or a couple of weeks to visit Miss Arla Ewalt.

Mrs. Signa Ellerson of Detroit has arrived home for the remainder of the summer and resumed her old position as bookkeeper at the Sorenson Brothers store.



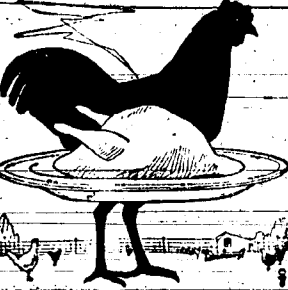
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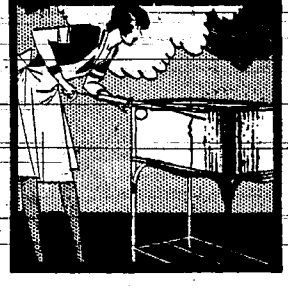
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NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Goddess of Peace Is Busy in Many Lands—Kellogg Pact Is Proclaimed.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

RENE, that goddess of peace, who has become familiar to all cross-word puzzlers, was the star performer of the week. Her gracious presence was manifest in Washington, London, Paris, Rome, and Mexico, and over in Manchuria she could be seen peering through the fast thinning war clouds.

Our own National Capital was the stage for the more formal peace proceedings, for there President Hoover in an impressive ceremony declared effective the Kellogg-Brand treaty for the renunciation of war as a national policy of the 40 nations that have declared their acceptance of the pact. In the East room of the White House more gathered the representatives of 42 of those countries, together with former President Coolidge, former Secretary of State Kellogg, Senator Brand, and a few other invited guests.

At the center seat of a long U-shaped table was the President, with Mr. Coolidge at his right. When the diplomats had entered while the Marine band was playing and had been introduced and seated, Mr. Hoover arose and in a rather cautiously worded address congratulated the assembly and the nations represented on the coming into force of "this additional instrument of humane endeavor to do away with war and to obtain by peaceful means alone the settlement of international disputes." He expressed the thanks of the nation to Mr. Coolidge, Mr. Kellogg, Senator Brand, and Representative SWANSON for their diplomatic skill, devotion and high service. The President then read his proclamation making the pact effective.

There were no other speeches, and the assembly adjourned to the state dining room where luncheon was served.

COINCIDENTAL with the ceremony in Washington were announcements from London and from the White House of action looking toward real curtailment of naval building programs by Great Britain and the United States. Declaring that his government is determined to secure a real reduction of armaments, through negotiations with America, Prime Minister MacDonald told the house of commons that work had been suspended on two cruisers now under construction and contracts for a submarine depot ship and two submarines had been canceled. This, he indicated, was but the first step in an extensive program which would include not only canceling of contracts for ships contemplated and actually under construction, but also scrapping ships already built.

Of his conversations with Ambassador Davies, Mr. MacDonald said: "We have agreed on a principle of parity, and that, without departing in any way from that principle, a measure of equality can be allowed so as to meet the peace requirements of each nation. We have arranged that we shall not allow technical points to override the great public issues involved in our being able to come to an agreement."

The prime minister said that October seemed to be the most likely month when his contemplated visit to President Hoover would take place. The house of commons rose on Friday and was told by the prime minister it would be summoned to sit again until October 26.

PRESIDENT HOOVER'S response to Mr. MacDonald's announcement was immediate. He gave out word that construction of three cruisers, the keels for which were to be laid down in American yards this autumn, would be held up pending consideration of disarmament proposals. In a formal statement the President said in part:

"I have read with real satisfaction the statement which the prime minister has made in the house of commons. The American people are greatly complimented by his proposed visit and he will find a universal welcome."

"Mr. MacDonald's statement marks a new departure in discussion of naval disarmament. The prime minister introduces the principle of parity, which we have now adopted, and its consummation means that Great Britain and the United States henceforth are not to compete in armament as potential opponents but to co-operate as friends in the reduction of it."

"We have three cruisers in this year's construction program which have been undertaken in the government navy yards, the detailed drawings for which are now in course of preparation. The actual keels would, in the ordinary course, be laid down some time this fall. Generally speaking, the British cruiser strength considerably exceeds American strength at the present time and the actual construction of these three cruisers would not be likely in themselves to produce inequality in the final result."

"We do not wish, however, to have any misunderstanding of our actions, and therefore we shall not lay these keels until there has been an opportunity for full consideration of their effect upon the final agreement for parity which we expect to reach, although our hopes of relief from construction lie more largely in the later years of the program under the law of 1928."

WAR between China and Russia probably has been averted at least for the present. Reminded by the United States, Great Britain and France of their obligations as signers of the Kellogg treaty, both governments declared their intention to abide by the terms of that pact; and then at the suggestion of China representatives at Chang Chun, this was believed, would lead to direct negotiations for a peaceful settlement of the controversy over the Chinese

Eastern railway. There were unconfirmed reports of several clashes along the Manchurian border, and Russian diplomats declared there could be no mediation between the two nations until China had restored the status quo. But the atmosphere was more peaceful, nevertheless, in Japan, which was just interested in Manchuria, was striving hard to prevent warfare, and both China and Russia insisted they had no desire to resort to arms. Secretary of State Stimson in Washington was especially active in the cause of peace to the Far East.

PREMIER POINCARÉ of France triumphed in his endeavor to obtain from the French parliament a ratification of the debt agreements with the United States and Great Britain. The chamber of deputies authorized a long and stormy debate which sent the premier to a sick bed. The senate discussed the question more quietly and then concurred. Ratification by France was so long deferred that congress will have to take action on the agreement all over again next fall. The house ratified it two years ago but the senate refused to consider it until France had acted. Meanwhile a new house has been elected and the representatives must pass on the agreement again.

CONSEQUENT on the signing of the Lateran treaties that ended the long quarrel between Italy and the Vatican, the pope, for the first time since the destruction of the papal state in 1870, emerged from the Vatican, and entered the portico of St. Peter's, ending the self-imposed imprisonment of the head of the Catholic church. However, Pius XI did not leave the boundaries of the sovereign Vatican state established by the treaties for St. Peter's is included in its territory. The pope was a guest of one not unlike the Italian king for the Italian soldiers, fascists and city police guarded the plaza of the church while perhaps three hundred thousand devout Catholics knelt as the procession moved from the Vatican in close procession to the Corpus Christi processions. Pontifical ceremonies with the papal colors, the papal guard and heralds with trumpets led large bodies of various clerical dignitaries and after the chamberlains and the cardinals came the pope himself, on a platform borne by twelve men and carrying the Eucharist. On the portico of the great church the ceremony of the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was performed.

With the assistance of the Italian officials the whole affair was given a holy and solemn aspect that kept it from being merely an immense spectacle. The crowds were asked to refrain from cheering and the making of photographs, moving or still, was forbidden.

MEXICO'S part in the general peace concert was the ending of the Catholic rebellion by the surrender of the "Cristos" and their leaders in several states, and the announcement by the prosecuting attorney general that all legal suits instituted against persons accused of rebellion in violation of the name of the church, sedition and furnishing aid to rebels, have been suspended through the twenty-eight states and three territories of Mexico on orders of President Portes Gil.

THREE banking institutions in Pas-saic, N. J., owned by the Bankers' Securities company, whose president is former Senator Edward I. Edwards, were closed by the state commissioner of banking because, he said, their capital has been impaired by assets of doubtful value. The affair is mysteriously tied up with the recent kidnapping of the executive vice president of one of the banks and his release after he was released.

Three more Florida banks have closed. They are the First National of St. Augustine, the Phifer State bank of Gainesville, and the Bank of Ormond, winter home of J. D. Rockefeller. They shut their doors because of excessive withdrawals and for the protection of depositors.

Announcement was made of another huge bank merger in Chicago. The institutions to be consolidated are the Foreman National bank and the State Bank of Chicago, with the Foreman National corporation as an investment subsidiary. The institutions will have total resources of nearly \$220,000,000.

GERMANY captured the speed championship of the Atlantic ocean when the liner Bremen arrived at New York 4 days, 14 hours and 42 minutes out from Cherbourg. This elapsed 8 hours and 52 minutes from the record held for some years by the Cunarder Mauretania. The huge North German Lloyd liner also broke all records for a single day's run, having made 713 miles on the last day. It maintained an average speed per hour of 27.83 knots, or almost 33 miles, for the entire trip.

MEMBERS of the federal farm board held a conference in Chicago with 30 invited officials of grain growers, co-operatives, the purpose being to acquaint the board with the problems now existing in the marketing of wheat and other grains and to obtain opinions of the grain growers as to the methods to be adopted by the board under the terms of the farm relief act. From Chicago the board went to Baton Rouge, La., to attend the annual meeting of the American Institute of Co-Operation.

WILLIAM HOHENZOLLERN is now free to return to Germany from his exile in Doorn, Holland, for the bill for protection of the republic, a clause of which excluded him from the country, has expired and the reichstag refused to renew it. It is reliably stated, however, that the former kaiser has no intention of re-entering Germany.

LONDON experienced a "political earthquake" when it was announced that Lord Lloyd, British high commissioner of Egypt, had resigned by request because of his difference of opinion with the Labor government

over Egyptian policy. Lord Lloyd has been the actual dictator in Egypt and he is held responsible by the Egyptian Nationalists for the coup d'état by which the last parliament was dissolved and the present Egyptian government constituted by the fiat of King Fouad.

DISPATCHES from India say the troops of Bucha Sukoo, the self-made king of Afghanistan, were defeated in a 10-hour battle by an army raised by Nadir Khan, and that the latter was preparing to march on Kabul with fair chances of ousting Bucha from the throne.

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR SEPT. 1 TO 7

An entirely new type of fireworks display will be shown each evening except Sunday of the eightieth annual exposition of the Michigan State Fair, September 1 to 7, according to officials. The fireworks will be in connection with the daily rodeo and vaudeville shows in front of the grandstand, which with other features will make up, fair officials assert, the finest grandstand show in the fair's history.

Aerial pyrotechnics are the latest developments in fireworks. With the sky as a background and raised where they can be seen by everyone, the fireworks are highly artistic, spectacular and visible to all.

Many of the finest outdoor vaudeville acts now touring the country have already been engaged for the fairgrounds show. One troupe, the Dosters, have just reached America and are regarded as the finest ever produced in Europe. They are high-wire artists, specializing in hair-raising acrobatics and difficult balancing, and considered the most daring aerial act ever brought to the Michigan Fair.

The Hungarian troupe are wonderfully costumed men and women acrobats and tumblers, presenting an entirely new repertoire of acts and tricks, exceptional not only because of their novelty but because of the remarkable precision required in their performance.

John R. Agee, world-famous horse trainer, with a group of educated horses that have been exhibited in the greatest hippodrome of the country, is another. As a feature of this act three horses jump through barrels lying on a moving wagon. Agee is known as the greatest of contemporary horsemen, and became famous 20 years ago as the trainer of trick horses for the leading circuses.

Pink's Comedy Mules are said to have played at more shows and exhibitions than any act in the whole show business. This laugh-producing act is headed by "Missouri Jim Dumps," the unridable mule, and includes two pedigreed wall-climbing German police dogs whose jumping has never been equaled by any other dogs.

A mammoth Wild West spectacle also has been arranged for. Details of this will be announced later.

MICHIGAN GREAT USER OF ELECTRIC POWER

Ann Arbor, Mich., July 30.—Michigan produces and uses more than half as much electric power as all of Great Britain according to a comparison of Michigan power statistics with a report sent to the U. S. Department of Commerce by Trade Commissioner Hanson, St. Louis, Mo., and just made public at Washington, states the Michigan Public Utility Information Bureau.

Consumption of electricity in Great Britain in 1928 totaled 7,602,000,000 kilowatt hours, says the report, which was an increase of 10 per cent over 1927. During the last six years Great Britain's consumption has more than doubled; the 1928 figure comparing with 3,645,000,000 kilowatt-hours in 1922.

In Michigan in 1928 electric power produced by public utility plants, total of 3,360,000,000 kilowatt hours, according to the United States Geological Survey, or 57 per cent as much as all the power consumed in Great Britain. During the past six years, Michigan's use of electric power has also doubled; the 1922 production figure being 2,179,944,000 kilowatt hours.

Total power production in the United States in 1928 was \$7,849,579,000 kilowatt hours.

The larger use of electric power in industry in the United States is ascribed as one of the outstanding reasons for the greater material prosperity of this country as compared to that of Great Britain.

E. M. T. MAP CONTINUES TO BE A HIT

The East Michigan Tourist association continues to receive letters extolling the Joe Rover map. A Saginaw banker acknowledged receipt of the map with compliments regarding its unique appeal. A Saginaw publisher also comments upon the map with enthusiasm. Letters from every section of Michigan mention the map in glowing terms. Requests for the map come from every section of Michigan and from some points outside of the state.

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Italy's Marble Caves

Marble is Italy's chief export and the richest mineral product of Italian geology. The best marble caves are those in Tuscany—in the Apennine mountains, near Carrara, which were known to the Romans, who went there to extract the pure white marble for monuments. Michelangelo himself journeyed to Carrara to select the marble blocks for his masterpieces.

MICHIGAN BOYS IN C. M. T. C.

Camp Edwin Denby, near Battle Creek, July 24.—(Special).—Between 1,400 and 1,500 young Americans living in Michigan are now in one of Michigan's two training camps, Camp Edwin Denby, near Battle Creek, or Fort Brady, near Sault Ste. Marie. Both of these camps opened on Friday, July 19; and many of the young men arrived in camp on Thursday, the day before it opened.

With the beginning of these two camps it is apparent the training of young men will receive will be of material benefit to them during the balance of their lives, in war and in peace. The training schedule is so arranged that trainees will be devoted to lectures on subjects of great interest and benefit—every young man, rich or poor, military tactics and duty as citizen. The afternoons will be devoted to athletics under experienced coaches. Every kind of an athletic game known will have a place on the daily afternoon program.

Prizes and trophies will be awarded to those who excel in the various athletic events, and six Michigan colleges will award scholarships to the trainees who excel in proficiency while in camp. Last, but not least, the war department will present marksmanship badges. Every C. M. T. C. trainee will have an opportunity for one of these badges on the rifle range. Officers and men alike in the regular army value these badges of distinction very highly. They can be worn on a uniform all the time the same as war service badges.

Every young man from Michigan, now in camp, has passed a rigid physical examination and he is now physically fit to carry on until the end of camp, on August 17, providing he behaves himself, and conducts himself as a gentleman. No trainee will be sent home before the end of camp if he conducts himself in a proper manner. Camp Edwin Denby has a staff of experienced regular army officers who are veterans of not only the World war, but some of them many other wars, and who have grown gray in the service of their country.

The daily program at both camps will begin at reveille, the first call of which will be sounded at 5:40 a. m., with reveille at 6 a. m. Breakfast will be served at 8:30 a. m., luncheon at 12 noon, and dinner at 5:30 p. m. On Saturday mornings there will be no drill, but the weekly inspection of quarters will be held instead.

For the benefit of visitors in camp, guard-mounting will be at 3:45 p. m. every day, and retreat will be held at 5 p. m. These two events are interesting to civilian visitors. Visitors will be held at both Camp Edwin Denby and Fort Brady on August 14. Every citizen in Michigan is invited by the war department to visit either of these two Michigan camps on that day. No matter where a citizen has relatives in one of the camps or not they will be made welcome at both camps.

FREDERIC NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lewis are touring the Soo district, taking in the sights.

Mrs. Pete Foushon of Flint and daughter with husband were callers here last week. They lived here twenty-five years ago.

Mrs. Gunther's mother of East Jordan was here visiting her daughter and husband.

Miss Beatrice Murphy, a contestant in the Medicine Show contest, won the silver set.

Mrs. Wolf of Kalkaska is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Allen.

Miss Beatrice Richards returned to Grand Rapids. She had been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richards. Also Miss Ethel returned to their adopted home.

Miss Truette of Flint spent her vacation at the home of Charles Corwin.

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Lovely Jersey Ensemble

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LANDS PLANTED WITH WHITE PINE

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White Pine is a name which deserves its place in the history of Michigan for it was that tree, the splendid old cork pine of the north, to which much of our present prosperity can be traced. Like the corked boot of the wild west days, the white pine unfortunately also, belongs to the past. Here and there along the road, having somehow escaped the footsteps of progress, stands a grizzled old veteran with branches twisted sharply about from the prevailing winds, stagheaded, gnarled, but still fighting against time and changing conditions.

The bark on the younger trees tends to be quite smooth and dark gray in color while that of the more mature becomes rigid, somewhat corky, and slightly light. Virgin white pine in the lower peninsula are at the Hartwick pines state park, 6 miles northeast of Grayling, and at the Interlochen state park on Duck and Green lakes. Aside from the swamp, hardwood, and sand regions, the white pine (Pinus strobus), ranged throughout the state, though sparsely south to the Grand-Saginaw valley. Its entire range is bounded by Newfoundland, Manitoba, Iowa, and northern Georgia.

During 1928, 24,942 people visited the pines at Interlochen, according to the conservation department. No figures are available for the Hartwick pine park area, formerly known as the Hanson pines and recently established as a state park. In addition to previous plantings, the forest division last year planted 2,817 acres of thirty young white pine seedlings on 9 of the state forests. Alpena News.

Best Fish

The cod is the most useful fish. Its food value is high; it yields valuable cod liver oil and is delicious. Cod heads, too, when mixed with certain plants and fed to cows, greatly improve the milk yield.

THE FIXED IDEA

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Man, University of Illinois.

There has been running in New York and Chicago in recent months with a good deal of success and interest a play which alleges to reproduce in a realistic manner the conversation of a metropolitan newspaper editor.

There is much disorder about the place, as it is represented, much profanity and vulgarity, and chewing of tobacco and references to booze fests among the habitués of the office, for in some way these things picture the fixed idea of what a modern newspaper office is like. Now the fact is, if looked into, would seldom, if ever, bear out this idea. A newspaper office is not a place of disorder and more profane than other business offices, but it would be hard to make the general public believe so.

I noticed a statement in one of our local papers the other evening to the effect that one of our fresh young citizens had been vigorously slapped in the face, as he deserved to be, for making advances to a young woman with whom he had no acquaintance, and who was acting in one of our local theaters. The fixed idea is pretty prevalent that all actresses, being of easy virtue, court attention from strangers and welcome invitations from anybody who is willing to spend money on them. A good many young men have been slapped in the face for erroneously assuming such a point of view. It is a long excluded idea in the minds of those who know anything about the matter that "morose girls and actresses" are less moral, less well educated, and less regular in their lives and habits than other professional women.

The frock-coated, long-whiskered, absent-minded, near-sighted college professor has for decades been represented in humorous magazines and on the stage. So long and to such an extent has he been thus pictured that it has become a fixed idea in the minds of a majority of people who have never been to college that that is the sort of creature he is—impractical, imprudent, ill-dressed, a man of one idea, and that one a very narrow and unbusinesslike idea.

Now the college professor is in fact not so very different from other normal people. I am not infrequently asked, when on a railroad train I get into conversation with traveling salesmen, what line I am carrying or what business I represent. I have even been taken for a lawyer or a bank president at times and have not resented the suggestion in the least, and I am sure many of my colleagues would pass as representative business men, though there is a fixed idea against such a possibility.

There is the fixed idea in the minds of many people that all Italians work at hard labor, that all Greeks are rascals, and Scotchmen are all staid, and that numbers continually rob the public and eventually grow rich. The fixed idea is the surest in direction of inexperience and ignorance. Our ideas are not upon the subjects about which we know the least.

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TO THE OWNER OR OWNERS OF ANY AND ALL INTERESTS IN OR LIES UPON THE LANDS HEREIN DESCRIBED:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that you are entitled to a redemption thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Charge of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereon, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service of a declaration as commencing a suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges, if payment as aforesaid is not made; the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of Land:

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
County of Crawford.

The west half of the northeast quarter Sec. 35, Town 27N, Range 4W.

Amount paid \$27.34 tax for year 1925.

Amount necessary to redeem \$54.68.

plus the fees of the Sheriff.

John Bruun, place of business Grayling, Mich.

To Stewart O. Van De Mark and Josephine L. St. John last grantees turned to their home in Saginaw in the regular chain-title of such lands.

of any interest therein as appears Smith of Bay City spent Sunday at ing by the records in the office of the Bill cabin.

Register of Deeds of said county and grantees under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest years' taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

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LOVELLS NEWS

Mrs. B. W. DeGaulhaid has returned from Battle Creek. Her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Nash returned with her.

A crowd of Lovells young folks attended the dance at Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small of Mio spent Sunday at the Nephew home.

John Watin and a party of friends are staying at the Loud cabin in Big Creek.

Jack Stevens and Ted Small of Detroit were callers in Lovells Sunday.

John Herriek's son and family are spending a week at Mr. Herriek's home.

Miss Corinne Oms of Detroit is visiting Emma Louise and Norma Pochelon.

Jake Stillwagon has returned to Lovells after spending two weeks in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wisnauer of Detroit are staying at the Pochelon cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Symons have returned to their home in Saginaw.

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